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TEKKEN...

4巻累計
超速**50**万部
突破!!

CHAPTER 54

CHIKA FUJIWARA WANTS TO CONFIRM

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〜天才たちの恋愛頭脳戦〜

赤坂アカ



WHICH
MEANS
SHE THINKS
THIS SAYING
SUITS ME...

AND
SHINO-
MIYA
WROTE
IT...



AN IDIOM
FROM THE
STORY OF
HOW SANG
WEIHAN
PASSED THE
IMPERIAL
EXAMINATION...

IT'S A
GOOD
SAYING.

TO WEAR
AWAY
AN IRON
INKSTONE
UNTIL A
HOLE IS
MADE...



HI...

HEY!

HELLO.



CELEBRATE
MY BIRTHDAY
ON HER OWN?

WHY DID
SHINOMIYA...



BUT...

THERE'S STILL
SOMETHING
I'M NOT SURE
ABOUT.



I'D GO AS
FAR AS TO
SAY IT'S
UNNATURAL
THAT SHE
DIDN'T INVITE
THEM.

IT WOULD
HAVE MADE
MORE SENSE TO
HAVE FUJIWARA
AND ISHIGAMI
THERE TOO..



SHE, A GIRL,
CELEBRATED
A BOY'S
BIRTHDAY ON
HER OWN.

WHAT
DID SHE
MEAN BY
THIS?

BUT SHE
DIDN'T.

MEANING!

**THE MEANING OF A GIRL CELEBRATING
A BOY'S BIRTHDAY ON HER OWN!**



THAT
WAS THE
KIND OF
MEANING
IT COULD
HOLD.

SHE COULD
WANT TO
KEEP HIM
ALL TO
HERSELF
ON HIS
SPECIAL
DAY.



IT COULD
BE HER
WANTING
TO CLAIM
HIM BEFORE
ANY OTHER
GIRLS
COULD.

WERE SHE
INTERESTED
IN SAID
BOY,



SO
WHY...

SHINOMIYA
SHOULD
BE AWARE
OF THAT...



IT
DID.

THERE'S
NO WAY
SOMETHING
THAT GOOD
WOULD JUST
HAPPEN...



I COULD
USE IT AS
A WEAPON
TO FORCE
SHINOMIYA
INTO A
CORNER.

AND
THIS
FAN...



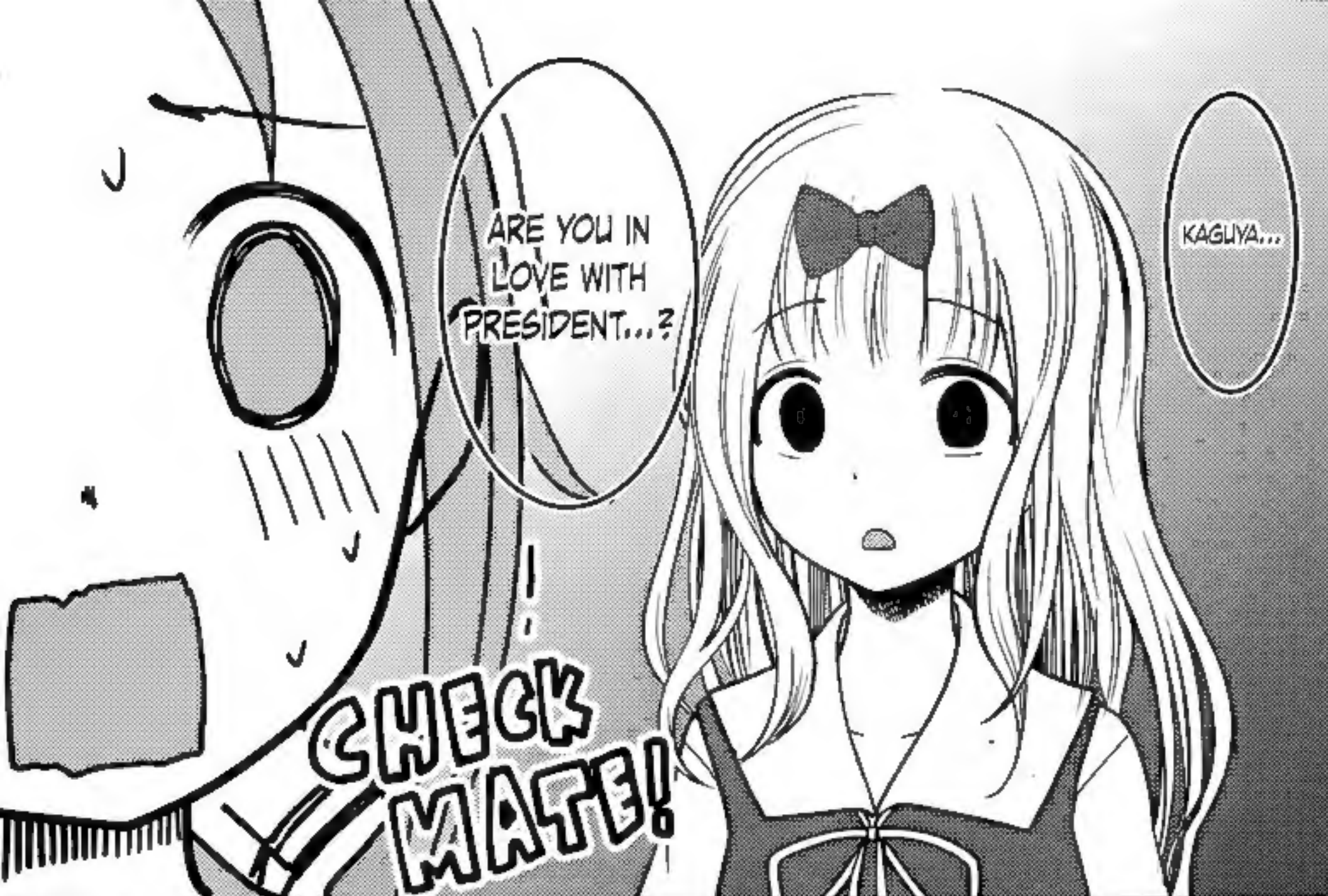
YES.

WOULD
SHE REALLY
ACCEPT HOW
EMBARRASSING IT
COULD BE AND
CELEBRATE MY
BIRTHDAY ON
HER OWN?

IF
SHE
KNEW
THE
RISK,

I
DON'T
GET
IT!







...NO.

SHINOMIYA
GAVE THIS
TO ME AS
A GIFT...

CAN I
REALLY USE A
SYMBOL OF
HER GOOD
WILL AS A
WEAPON
AGAINST
HER?

THAT'S
NOT HOW
I DO
THINGS.



IT'S ONLY A
MATTER OF TIME
BEFORE SHE
CONFESSES
TO ME!

SHE'S ALREADY
REACHED THE
LEVEL WHERE
SHE'S GIVING
ME A BIRTHDAY
PRESENT!

AND BESIDES,
I DON'T NEED
PETTY TRICKS
LIKE THAT
ANYMORE!



THIS WAS
A GIFT
FROM A
FRIEND...

OH,



A
FRIEND...



UM...

I DON'T
NEED
TO DO
ANYTHING
NOW...

ALL I
HAVE TO
DO IS
WAIT.

PRESI-
DENT, IS
THAT...









JUST WHAT
WAS HE
THINKING...?

I CAN'T
THINK OF
ANY REASON
FOR HIM
TO ONLY
TELL ME.

I
WONDER
WHY?



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THAT'S
ODD...

HE TOLD
ME WHEN HIS
BIRTHDAY
WAS, BUT HE
DIDN'T TELL
ANYONE
ELSE...



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TH...
THAT'S...!!



DID YOU
WANT IT TO
BE YOUR
SECRET!?

WHY
WERE YOU
PRETENDING
YOU DIDN'T
GET THAT
FAN FROM
KAGUYA?

SO YOU
NEVER TOLD
ME WHEN
YOUR
BIRTHDAY
WAS!!

YOU WANTED
TO CELEBRATE
IT WITH JUST
KAGUYA,
DIDN'T YOU!?

AN INDISPUTABLE FACT!

THIS IS BAD!!

"I WOULD JUST TELL YOU, I COULD HAVE HELPED YOU."

"I WANTED TO CELEBRATE YOUR BIRTHDAY TOO!"

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 AND MENTAL
 HYGIENE
 DEPARTMENT OF
 HEALTH
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 HYGIENE
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I WAS
 TOLD
 THIS!!

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I WAS
 TOLD
 THIS!!



IF THAT'S
HOW YOU'RE
GOING TO
PLAY THIS
THEN I'M
GOING TO GET
SERIOUS
NOW...!!

THE NEW
WAVE
MOVIE
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SHE LEARNED
WHAT MY
BIRTHDAY WAS
WHEN SHE SAW
THE STUDENT
COUNCIL
REGISTRY A
YEAR AGO.

SHINOMIYA
WAS THE
ONLY ONE
I TOLD
ABOUT MY
BIRTHDAY?

I NEVER
TOLD HER
WHAT IT WAS
MYSELF.

DON'T BE
RIDICU-
LOUS.



TH...
THAT'S
TRUE...

SHINOMIYA
WAS THE
ONE WHO
NEVER TOLD
ANYONE
WHEN MY
BIRTHDAY
WAS!!

IN FACT,
FOR THIS
PAST
YEAR...



HUH?
THEN...



WHAT HE
DID DOESN'T
SOUND VERY
NATURAL TO
ME EITHER.

IF YOU
KNOW WHEN
SOMEONE'S
BIRTHDAY IS,
WOULDN'T YOU
NORMALLY
SHARE THAT
INFORMATION
WITH OTHERS?

NOW
WHY
WOULD
SHE DO
THAT?



WAS
KAGUYA...!?



THE
ONE WHO
WANTED
TO HAVE A
BIRTHDAY
PARTY
WITH JUST
THE TWO
OF YOU



HOW'S THAT,
SHINOMIYA!?
LET'S SEE
YOU COUNTER
THAT!!



YOU FORGOT,
PRESIDENT...

OF
COURSE, THIS
RESPONSE
WAS WELL
WITHIN HER
PREDICTIONS!

HER GENIUS-
LEVEL INTELLECT
ALLOWED HER TO
ANTICIPATE HIS
RESPONSES AND
COUNTER THEM!!



HOW
NAIVE...

DID YOU
REALLY THINK A
COUNTERATTACK
OF THAT LEVEL
WOULD BE
ENOUGH TO TRIP
ME UP?



WHEN WE WERE USING
THE FORTUNE TELLING
WEBSITE, EVERYONE IN
THIS ROOM CLEARLY
SAW THAT YOU WERE
AVOIDING **OH** SUBJECT
SC **PRESIDENT'S**
TO **USING THE**
FAN...

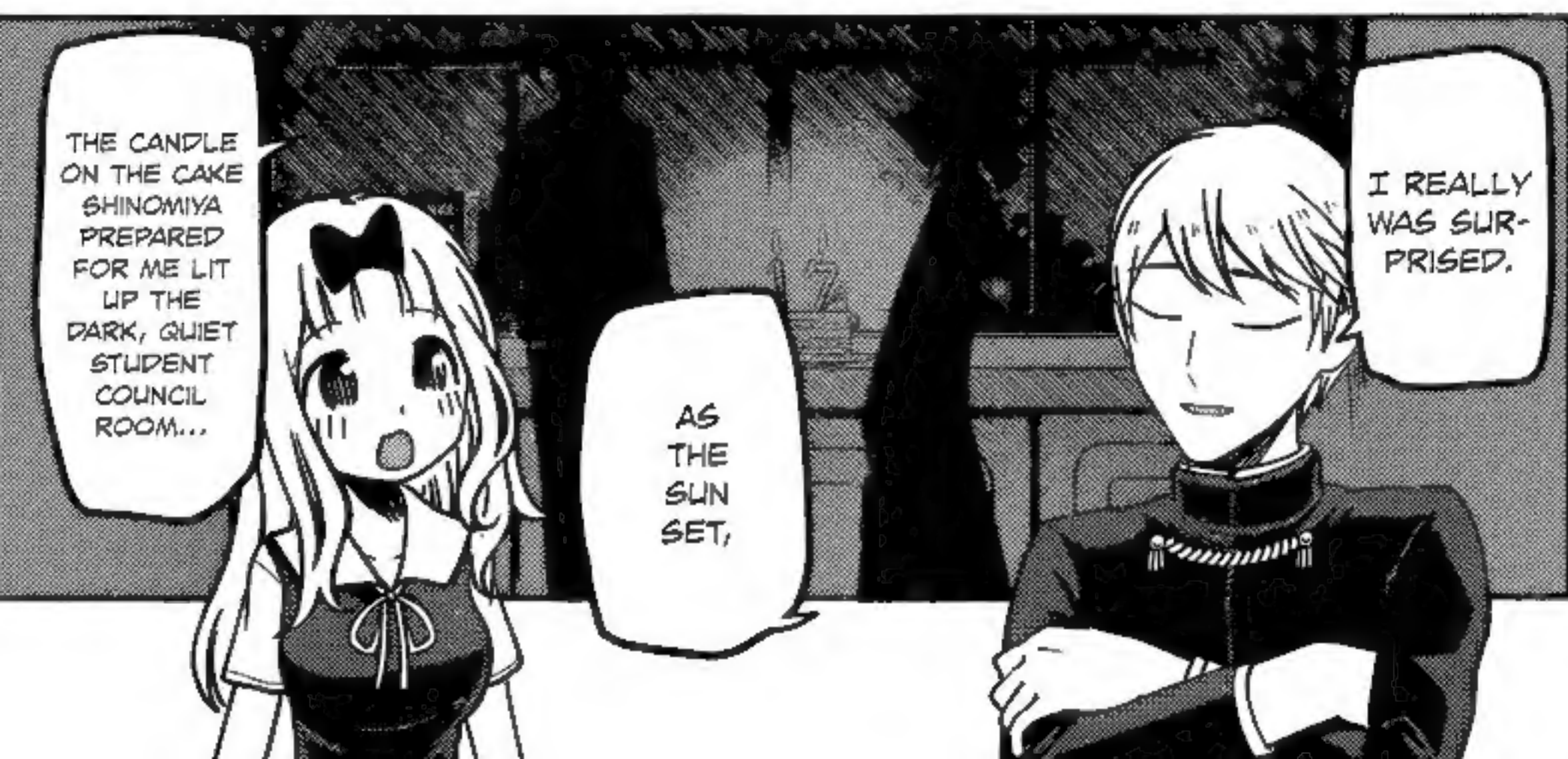


WHY CAN'T
I THINK
STRAIGHT!!?



ALL I HAVE
TO DO IS SAY
THAT I DON'T
REMEMBER THAT,
AND IT'LL BE
BI I'M SO
HAPPY...

AND THE
EPISODE YOU'RE
REFERRING TO
HAPPENED A
FULL YEAR AGO...
YOU **HE'S** THINK
THAT **USING** THE
REMEMBER'S
IT SO
MUCH...







WELL,
YEAH.

ISN'T IT
NORMAL TO
KNOW YOUR
FRIENDS'
BIRTHDAYS?

HUH...?

ISHIGAMI,
YOU KNEW
WHEN HIS
BIRTHDAY
WAS...?



OH...

YES.

I'VE
BEEN
USING
IT...



WAS
ALL JUST A
MISUNDER-
STANDING...
IT WAS
QUITE
TROUBLING...

THAT'S
EXACTLY
RIGHT. SO
GOING AND
SAYING
SOMETHING
LIKE THAT I
WAS TRYING
TO CLAIM
HIM



EVEN THOUGH
SHINOMIYA AND
I BOTH KNEW!?

DID YOU NOT
KNOW WHEN
PRESIDENT'S
BIRTHDAY
WAS!?

HUH!?
FUJIWARA,



**YOU WERE
THE ONLY
ONE!!?**



**YOU WERE THE
ONLY ONE WHO
DIDN'T KNOW!?**



TCH...
SHE RAN
AWAY...



I'M SORRY
FOR WHAT I
SAAAAID!!



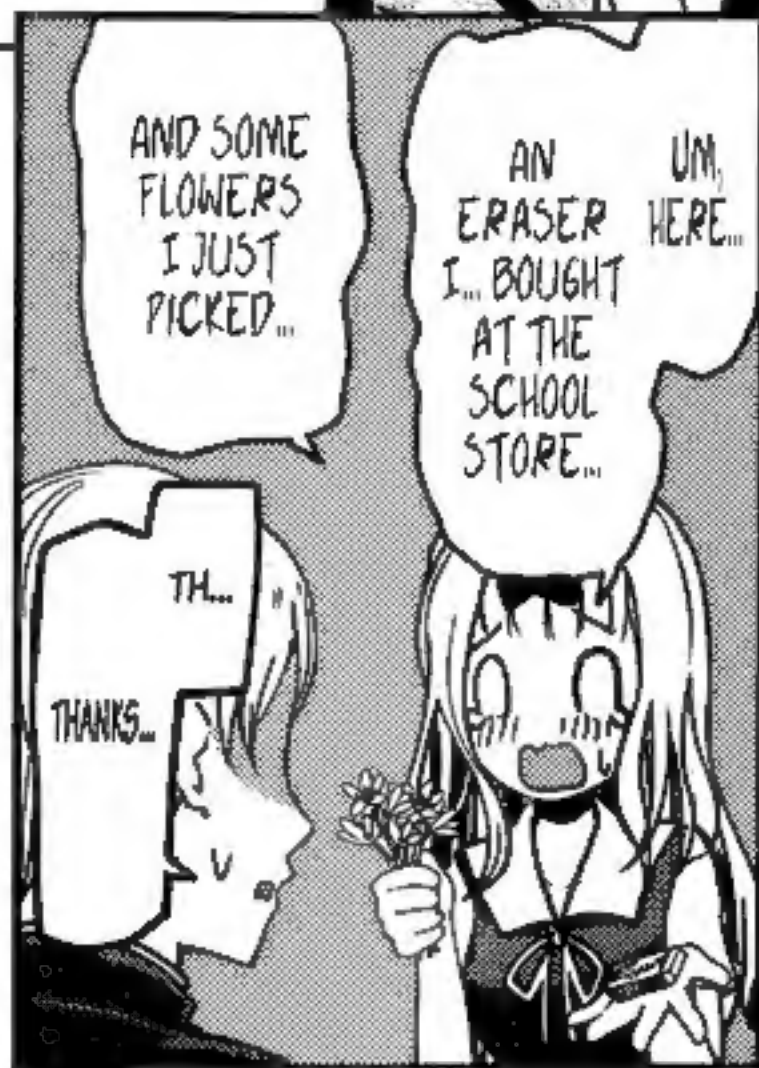
WAAA-
AAAA-
HHH!!!!



THANK
YOU...

ISHI-
GAMI...
YOU DID
WELL...

もじり...



AND SOME
FLOWERS
I JUST
PICKED...

AN
ERASER
I... BOUGHT
AT THE
SCHOOL
STORE...

UM,
HERE...

TH...
THANKS...



RESULT OF
TODAY'S
BATTLE:
**FUJIWARA'S
LOSS**

HUH?
WHAT!?

WHAT DID I
DO TO MAKE
HER HATE
ME THIS
TIME!?

YOU
WERE A
GREAT
HELP.

I'LL BE
SURE TO
REPAY
YOU.